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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
DOCKET NO. H-79-5244
BDS NO. 3646-79

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF

ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION

GEORGE H. TEGTMEYER, D.C. LICENSE NO. 00733

ORDER

TO PRACTICE CHIROPRACTIC IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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This matter was opened to the State Board of Medical Examiners by way of Complaint filed July 30, 1979 by John J. Degnan, Attorney General of New Jersey, by Joan D. Gelber, Deputy Attorney General. Upon receipt of an Answer filed by John Sheehy Esq. on behalf of respondent denying the allegations of the Complaint, the matter was determined to be a contested case pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52: 14B-10(c). The Board further determined to refer the case to the Office of Administrative Law for hearing as a contested case, with recommended findings of fact and conclusions of law to be submitted to the Board for affirmation, modification or rejection.

Exceptions have been filed by the State to the initial decision submitted by the Administrative Law Judge on the ground that on December 19, 1979 the respondent withdrew his original Answer denying the allegations of the Complaint and jointly with the State,

submitted to the Board a proposed Consent Order agreeing to specified findings of fact and conclusions of law. The Board reviewed the matter and the proposed Consent Agreement, concluded that the case was no longer contested and that there was good cause for the entry of the Order submitted. The case being no longer contested, jurisdiction over the matter immediately and automatically reverted to the Board for the entry of the final Order.

IT IS therefore on this 13th day of February 1980,

ORDERED that the Board rejects the report of the

Administrative Law Judge, as the matter was entirely concluded
by the Board Order entered December 19, 1979.

EDWIN H. ALBANO, M.D.

President

State Board of Medical

Examiners